### STILL AT THE FAIR

Bill Nye Mentions it in the Course of Other Remarks

AS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

and Well Chosen Hemarks.

Run par Pirasance, Sept. 19, 1868.
My Duan Henry—It is a good thing that Napolson Murny, or Pole, as we used to call him, came to the fair. He is that much alseed. His bank at Eagle Run, back home, has busted. He has got his round trip ticket bought and paid for and money enough to get back some all right, but the bank will not even allow him to use up a new check-



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book that he got just before he left there. He says that no bank will ever get him again. He is tolerable hot about it and says that all a bank is for is to take the deposits of honest men and loan them to "men of push and enterprise" that have a good time at other folks' expense and then take paris green, saying, "Adoo, kind friends, I'm going home."

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Pole Muzzy says he's about decided to go on a prolonged debanch when he goes home, where it won't cost so much. For 20 years he has sort of yearned for an alcoholic outing, but did not have a real good sacuse. Now he feels like "letting the tail go with the hide," as he tersely puts it. You know Pole was always

He's the man that wrote home from the war that he was just going to a tonsorial artist to get his tonsils removed. Eve known many of a man in my life, Henry, but Pole Munzy rather oversizes anytedy I ever know in his easy flow of

For the word finally, for instance, he always said financially. When I dug my celebrated Hosaick well, he said I would financially get it done, and I did. I got it in the new-financially.

He's the man that rides around in the set down chairs, as he calls them here at the fair—meaning solan chairs.

Speaking of bank failures reminds me of Jirr Kelley—Black Jim, we called him. He failed in the lumber business in the fiftles up on the Nimmycoggin, but in 15 years he had managed to pay up everything but a claim of \$18 due to Lo Bartleti. One day he met Lo on the street and gave bim a check for the amount, for he had deposited it for that very purpose, Lo being out on the Trimbelle buying stove bolts.

The bank is long since sunk in oblivion, having gone into that business about half an hour after Black Jim put his money in there. Running across Lo a little while after, he gave him a check for the amount.

"Why, that won't go," says Lo. "The

bank has closed its doors."
"What?" says Jim, getting a shade or

two darker.

"Why, she's a wreck," says Lo. "Notice on the door says she may go into liquidation, but at present it is deemed

advisable, owing to stringency of the panic, to close."

Jim went over to the president's room and knocked sort of gentle as he could, considering that he had a fist that could have knocked down a week's receipts here at the fair if he'd of been that kind of a

"Who's there?" was the statement of a

"It's me," says Jim, "Jim Kelley— Black Jun Kelley of the Ninmycoggiu and I'm in something of a hurry."

"Well, we're very busy now, Kelley. Can't you come again this evening?" erclaimed the demonstract but silvery

"That will be too remote; I am very busy myself," said James the brunette, jerking an iron hitching post out of the afewalk and sanding his hands, like the man at the bet. "Now is the accepted base. Will you open the door, or shall I

The president with the bullion voice opened it, for it was a good door and beleased to him personally. It was not back seeds.

Black Jim turned the key in the door after he came in and began killing fies on the counter with his from hitching post.

"What do you want of me" exclaimed the president, taking a large sight draft ent of a tall bottle marked "Mucilage," but smalling more like the matriculating room of a bichloride institute. "What are you intrading here for."

"I meanted to see you with regards to a certificate of deposit Fre got here callling for \$10."

"We cannot pay it. Everything is gone. We have taken each on deposit and leaved on approved scarity, but we rannot makes at once upon our securines. All we want is confidence."

"Six you are one of these here confidence men the heard tell of, are you?"
"No, not not that; not that! Oh, me Gased, that I should be nalled a centiona must be a low brutal man with a retreating forward and whiskers on his hands? With that the president put the end of his nose on a new history to

"Wall, I'm here," said Kelley the black, "to get them \$18 or to leave you brokeng like a Hamburg steak. Eighteen dellars in set much to you. Ton eve

more than that every little while towar leaking the heather a free moral agent but I have been 10 years paying up to debte acquired by reason of a rise in the river which took my legs to Corpor Christi when I hadagreed to deliver same to parties at Stantoner. Eighteen do lars will relieve this mental strain. Otherwise I shall paper this room with you poor, perishing hely and very likely at physiate the cut with your soul."

then with a sigh took a roll from his booting and paid fim his little old \$18. "You will not mention this on the street, of course," said the president, with a bright, was smile, siapping Jim on the shoulder and raising a cloud of

"No," said Jim, giving the president a hearty slap on theback that shook a lung loose and made it full the whole length of the poor mans chest, "not till I get there." And he left the iron hitching post on the president's deak and came away. When the cruwd broke in, they found it there, like a mighty paperweight, lying acress a doctored state-

Black Jim has salized twice since on certificates of deposit. In one case it took what silver the bank had left to keep the providents brains from getting tanned.

We have changel our meal place from Belett, Wis., one of the northern subnets of Chicago, and now feed at a private house not far from the grounds. It saves car fare asil gives more time to see the exhibits, which are out of sight and no injettake.

I like the specimens of taxidermy best of all. I can stand by a staffed bear and apply it for house

Taxidermy originally comes from the two Greek words taxes, "arrangement," and dermy, meaning to skin. Thus we have skin arrangement, or skin game, where game is this prepared. I tell you this because a mise can go through college and yet miss a few things. I knew a college graduals once that could speak nine languages, but he did not know any better than to goskunking at night in a dress suit.

duced in 1828 by a man named Scudds, who began the establishment of a nuseum containing are unbolstered beasts. I was a justice of the peace, marrying people ever and mon-people who afterward introduced see half breed into the

aristocracy of thewest.

A friend who moved a good deal of genius in this matter gave me a stuffed bird which combined the aerial and am-



IN THE STELLTS OF CAURO.

phibious qualities of this beast. It had the fierce intellectand carnivorous head and beak of the eagle and had his tail loaded with lead b heep this massive arrangement from ipping him over. He had the feet of a lage hen, the torso, or trunk, of the cawasback duck and the tail of the bine is:

1 remember a litter and acrimonious

fight that grew ou of the discussion of this bird one bright May morning between a man named Lyons from Vinegar Hill and another samed Soiled Murphy of the Taj Mahalad, since deceased.

Mr. Lyons was in the office as a witness in another one, and Murphy in his great specialty as a drunk and disorderly. We had just concluded the case, and I had stepped down from the woolsack and hung to judicial ermine across a chair, intendingle put some more wood in the stove, when the attention of Soiled

Murphy was attracted to the bird.

I saked him, as an old sportsman, what he thought it was. He stated that it was what was called the canvashack hell diver, with abnormal head, but Lyons claimed that it wis an alkali kingfisher.

Other hunters who had hunted free drinks all the way from Julesburg to Yuba Dam had bid me how they had killed bundreds of them on Pawpaw

silled bundreds of them on Pawpaw creek and south of Dirty Woman's ranch.
Soiled Murphy sid they used to just swarm on Hutton lakes while they were melting, and live an horned toads, which they swallowed made for the desirious joy they experienced as the toad went

The feeling at more partisan tall Lyons made a has at Murphy with a box of fresh sawdest that had been put there when I opened court. It was obtained from Valetine Baker, a collector of abandoned furture and bad debta.

Soiled Marphylben hit him over the organ of frames with the judicial scales, which I had thoughtessly had across the weeklands.

woolsack.

In the afternoof fried the case, Lyons trying to get a change of venue on the ground that I was rejudiced. I denied the motion, teling him that I never allowed anything to rejudice me in a case. I was not only prectly free to try it, but would rather by it than not. Having seen the fight now could I be projudiced? Lyons was found guilty, for why fine a man like Sold Murphy, who had

no money?

I was always assinst capital in such cases and rutely had a poor man. I was always the fond of the poor man anyway, and when I could not get the costs from one of the parties I had to rely on county orders at 60 cents on the

dollar.

I was re-elected twice before my political policy was accovered.

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Before I leave | may write you accepted letter from heaving aring the fair, giving you more information regard-

The dames I spok of was pulled just before I could get here. If I had known it was really not i moral jig, I never would have thousand of attending, but Piloher, our schooleacher, who is here at the expense of is achool district obtaining advanced actions and studying rational educations program, said a was instructive and placing.

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Tomorrow we vit the street in Cairo and ride on a hadily demondary from Episana. Respectily yours, your fa-

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